For Sale.

HONGKONG, TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 30, 1880.

Boosey's "Royal Editions of Songs,"

Boosey's "Cavendish Music Books."

VIOLIN STRINGS.

SIAN CIGARETTES.

Bramsen's "Japanese Coins."

Charles Dickens's "Letters."

Swinbarne's New Poem.

"Nautical Almanacks for 1881

Stephen's Blue Black INK.

Zola's "L'Assemonoir.

Zola's "Nana."

PIANO MUSIC.

BOOKS.

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PARIS AND EUROPE :- LEON DE ROSNY, 19, Rue Monsieur, Paris. NEW YORK:-Andrew Wind, 188, Nas-

zau Street. AUSTRALIA, TASMANIA, AND NEW ZEALAND: -Gordon & Gotch, Melbourne and Sydney.

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Co., Square, Singapore. C. Heinszen & Co., Manila. CHINA: - Macao, Messrs A. A. DE MELLO & Co. Swatow, CAMPBELL & Co. Amoy, WILSON, NICHOLLS & Co. Foodhow, HEDGE & Co. Shanghai, LANE. CRAWFORD & Co., and KELLY

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CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA, AUS-TRALIA, AND CHINA.

FORD & Co.

CAPITAL, £800.000. RESERVE FUND,.....£190,000. Bankers. THE BANK OF ENGLAND.

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THE CITY BANK.

NATIONAL BANK OF SCOTLAND.

TITHE BANK'S BRANCH in Hongkong grants Drafts on London and the Chief Commercial places in Europe and the East; buys and receives for collection Bills of Exchange, and conducts all kinds of Banking and Exchange Business.

RATES OF INTEREST ALLOWED ON DE-On OPERENT ACCOUNTS, 2 per cent. per

annum on the daily balance. ON FIXED DEPOSITS. For 3 months, 3 per cent. per annum. 4 per cent. 5 per cent,

WILLIAM FORREST. Manager. Hongkong; May 10, 1880,

HONOKONG & SHANGHAI BANKIN

CORPORATION. PAID-UP CAPITAL, ...... 5,000,000 Dollars,

RESERVE FUND,......1,600,000 Dollars.

COURT OF DIRECTORS. Chairman-The Hon. W. KESWICK. Deputy Chairman-A. McIven, Esq. ADOLF ANDRE, Esq. H.DEC. FORBES, Esq. E. R. BELILIOS, Esq. | H. Hoppius, Esq. H. L. DALRYMPLE, F. D. SABBOON, Eaq. W. S. Young, Enq.

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Offices of the Corporation, No. 1, Queen's Road East.

Hongkong, August 16, 1880.

COMPTOIR D'ESCOMPTE DE PARIS,

(Incorporated 7th & 18th March, 1848.)

TO ECOGNISED by the International CONVENTION OF SOTH APRIL, 1862.

CAPITAL FULLY PAID-UP......£3,200,000. RESERVE FUND...... £800,000.

HEAD OFFICE-14, RUE BERGEBE, PARIS.

AGENOIES and BRANCHES at: BOURBON. London. SAN FRANCISCO. MARSEILLES, BOMBAY, Honokono, CALCUTTA, LYONS. HANKOW.

SHANGHAL, FOODHOW, NANTES, MELBOURNE. LONDON BANKERS,

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Hongkong, May 20, 1879.

#### Banks.

ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION.

(Incorporated by Royal Charter.) PAID-UP CAPITAL .......£1,500,000.

TOATES OF INTEREST ALLOWED ON DE-POSITS. At 3 months' notice 3% per Annum.

Current Accounts kept on Terms which nay be learnt on application. GEO. O. SCOTT,

Acting Manager. Orlentsi Bank Corporation. Hongkong, September 4, 1879.

#### Notices of Firms.

NOTICE.

TAR JOHANN NICOLAUS GOOS MANN is authorized to Sign Bills

of LADING in our Name. MELCHERS & Co.

Hongkong, November 29, 1880.

NOTICE.

THE Undersigned have been appointed and Conservations Combined, the Con-SOLE AGENTS of the ELLIOTTS METAL COMPANY, Birmingbam, for Hongkong and China.

MELCHERS & Co., Hongkong, Sept. 13, 1880.

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

HE Undersigned have received in-

structions to sell by Public Auction. WEDNESDAY,

the 1st December, at 2 o'Clock p.m., at the WANDHI GODOWN COMPANY'S Godown, No. 2, Wanchi,-

The following GOODS, namely ;-Anchors, Chains, Rope, Blocks, Sails, Rigging, Wire Rope, and other Ship's Apparel, together with Sundry Oilman's STORES, salved from the British barque " Flechero."

TERMS OF SALE.—Cash in Bank Notes on delivery. All Lots, with all faults and error of description, to be at Purchaser's risk on the fall of the hammer, and to be cleared within seven days from Day of Sale.

HUGHES & LEGGE,

Auctioneers. Hongkong, Nov. 27, 1880.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

HE Undersigned has received instructions to sell by Public Auction,

SATURDAY, the 4th December, 1880; at 11 o'Clock a.m., at Messrs Landstein & Co.'s Go-

downs, No. 51, Wanchi,-(For account of whom it may concern,) Ex S.S. " Tunis," from Saigon,

A Quantity of SALT, about 6,400 Piculs.

TERMS.—Cash on delivery.

G. R. LAMMERT, Auctioneer.

Hongkong, Nov. 27, 1880.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

INHE Undersigned has received instructions to sell by Public Auction,

SATURDAY, the 4th December, 1880, at 2 p.m., at

his Sales Rooms, Queen's Road,---A Collection of

CHINESE & JAPANESE CURIOS comprising :--Old Bronzes, Old Chin-chew Ware,

Pekin Enamel, Jade Stone, Lacquer Ware, Sang de Bouf.

TERMS OF SALE .- As customary. J. M. ARMSTRONG,

Auctionser.

Hongkong, Nov. 29, 1880.

For Sale.

FOR SALE. TIXSHAW'S BRANDY First Quality. Second Quality.

GILMAN & Co. Hongkong, October 22, 1880.

FOR SALE. TULES MUMM & Co.'s

OHAMPAGNE, Quarts.....\$16 per 1 dez. Case. Fints...... \$17 per 2 des. ... GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, February 2, 1880.

FOR SALE.

A FULLER FRERES'S CELEBRATED OLD BRANDY. in Cases of I dozen Qte.

Apply to HESSE & Co., Sole Agente. Hongkong, Sept. 1, 1880.

KELLY WALSH Memorandum Tablets for 1880.

LTAVE just Received. CHRISTMAS CARDS: LETT'S DIARIES for 1881. Pery's "Navies of the World." Hamerton's "Etching and Etchers."

"Hand book of Architectural Styles." "The Englishman's House.". Cavendish's "Card Essays and Decisions."

Dickens's "Speeches." " Carols of Cockayne," Bergen's "Marine Engineer." Roper's "Engineer's Handy-book." Ouida's " Moths." Dickens s "Works" Complete, 18 Vols.

Scott's "Works" Complete, 32 Handy Vols. in Case. Vere Foster's "Drawing Course." Huth's "Life and Writings of Buckle." Gillott's PENS in great varieties. New SKETCHING BLOCKS. Hingston's "Australian Abroad, Ceylon, India and Egypt."

Hongkong, November 13, 1880.

To Let.

Draper's Dichroic INK.

TO BE LET. TNNISFALLEN, close too the Gap, con-No. 126. taining a very Large DRAWING ROOM CHINA SEA. servatory being furnished with choice Plants, &c.; Dining Room, Drawing Room, Three Bed Rooms, with Bath Room off each, Pautry, Wine Cellar and Dairy. The whole

fully Furnished. In the last mentioned Drawing Room there is a London-made Billiard Table (quite new, 8 feet by 4) with accessories. The GROUNDS comprise a CRICKE and TENNIS LAWN, comprising Half-an sere; also a Large Croquer Lawn, with Two Kitchen Gardens, well stocked; there is a Stable, Cow-house and Piggery, and the usual out offices for Servants. Posses-

ston can be given early in December. For further Particulars, apply to MESSES LINSTEAD & Co., or to

BRERETON & WOTTON, Solicitors.

29, QUEEN'S ROAD. Rongkong, November 25, 1880.

TO LET. THE DWELLING HOUSES-Nos. 31 and 33. Wellington Street.

OFFICES in CLUB CHAMBERS, now in

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.

the occupation of the Hongkong and Wham-

poa Dook Co., with Strong Room attached also other OFFICES and CHAMBERS in the same Building. Apply to

Hongkong, October 15, 1880.

TO LET. NO. 8, HOLLYWOOD ROAD, containing THE WONDER OF THE WORLD.

Good News for all !

Apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co. flongkong, September 25, 1880.

COAL GODOWNS-TO LET. DURROWS' GODOWNS, Nos. 43, 56

D and ofa, Phaya East; with Private WHARP. The GODOWNS, Nos. 111, 1114 and 113, WANCHI ROAD.

Apply to SIEMSSEN & Co.

TO LET. TIRST FLOOR and GROUND FLOOR

Hongkong, September 13, 1880.

of House No. 4, Praya East (known as the Brue Houses); Possession on the lat of Uctober. The HOUSE opposite the WANCHI PIER,

Marine Lot No. 29, containing 8 Rooms, etc., etc., with Gas and Water laid on Immediate possession.

Apply to MEYER & Co.

Hongkong, September 2, 1880. TO LET.

N MARINE LOT No. 65, FIRST-CLASS GRANITE GODOWNS. MEYER & Co. Apply to Hongkong, July 25, 1879.

#### Intimations.

TENDERS WANTED.

TOOR RAISING the S. S. BRAEMAR CASTLE, Sunk in PENANG Harbour on the 28th October in about 9 to 10 fathoms of water, and by latest accounts still in an upright position.
TENDERS must state the Percentage on the value of the Vessel only, when raised for which the Work can be undertaken, and

the declared Percentage must include all TENDERS must be lodged in PENANG, on or before the 10th December, with Measts SANDILANDS, BUTTERY & Co., who do not bind themselves to accept the lowest, or

any, Tender, ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Hongkong, November 19, 1880.

THE "FAR EAST. THE ISSUES OF 1678 WANTED. Apply at this OFFICE. Hongkong, October 4, 1880.

CARD. MR. A. HAHN'S DANGING CLASSES have been Re-opened on the 1st

October. Fletcher's Buildings, No. 6, Queen's Road East, Hongkong, October 4, 1880.

### Intimations.

NOTICE TO MARINERS

New Ladies' and Gentlemen's CHIT

A Large Selection of VIOLIN and

ENTRANCE TO HAN RIVER-SWA-

TOW DISTRICT. DOVE ROCK WHISTLING BUOY.

ATOTICE is hereby given, that a red and black chequered automatic Whistling Buoy, 10 feet in diameter at the water line, as been moored in 41 fathoms of water about two cables from the pinnacle of the DOVE ROCK so as to mark the S.E. extremity of the reef.

By order of the Inspector-General of Customs. DAVID M. HENDERSON, Engineer-in-Chief.

Imperial Maritime Customs, Engineer's Office. Shanghai, 4th October, 1880.

DENTAL NOTICE. TAR. ROGERS, now on a visit to SHANG HAI, will return to HONGKONG early

in the Winter as usual.

Hongkong, April 1, 1880. DYNAMITE, FUSES, DETONATORS TAROM NOBEL'S EXPLOSIVES CO.

any Quantity on application to THE BORNEO Co., Ld., Agents. Hongkonz, March 8, 1880.

Good News for all

PROF. HERMAN'S

LIMITED, GLASGOW, can be had in

WORLD RENOWNED VERMIN DESTROYER! Which is known to be Far Superior to Anything yet discovered for killing Rate, Mice, Insects on Poultry, Ante. Bugs, Cook-roaches, Black Beetles, Flean on Dogs, Blight and Insects on Plants, Moths in Furs, Tick or Scab on >heep or

Goats, also on Cattle, &c., &c. This preparation has been applied with great success against the Insects that attack the Coffee Plants, and would doubtless be equally efficacious with the l'es Plants. SOLD IN PACKETS. At One Shilling per packet; or six Packets for Five Shillings.

The Powder is warranted free from all bad smell, and will keep in any climate. It may be spread anywhere without risk, as it is quite harmless to Cats or Dogs, as they will not eat it. DIRECTION FOR USE ON EACH PACKET.

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W. Chuickshank, Victoria Dispensary. 1jne80 1w3 no.1 1jne81 Ninth Volume of the "CHINA REVIEW." P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office. a d y.  $\mathbf{R}$  e

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sent Dynasty. A Chip from Chinese History, or the last two Emperors of the Great Sung Dynasty, 1101 to 1126. Short Notices of New Books and Literary Intelligence. Notes and Queries :--

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Adoption—A Case in Point. Comparative Linguistic Peculiarities. What may be got from one Root. Punishments under the Chinese Penal Concise Dictionary of K ang.hi.
Undiscovered Historical Proofs. Dr. Williams and the State of "Sul."

Mr. Andrew Wind.

Books Wanted, Exchanges, &c.

Hongkong, November 11, 1880

NEWS AGENT, &c. 138, NASSAU STREET, NEW YORK is authorized to receive Subscriptions, Advertisements, &c., for the China Mail. Overland China Mail, and China Review.

#### Notices to Consignees. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES

MARITIMES.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. MONSIGNEES of the following Cargo New Designs in MENU CARDS and J are requested to send in their Bills of hading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and take immediate delivery. This Cargo has been landed and stored at A New Shipment of the Celebrated RUStheir risk and expense.

No Fire Insurance has been effected. Regina TURKISH CIGARETTES. Ex Djemnah. Kwilecki's TURKISH CIGARETTES. S P (in triangle), O der, 50 bage Sharp Stones, from Madras, ... Order, 147 bags Sharp Stones, from

Madras.

Hongkong, November 16, 1880.

NOW READY. PRICE, \$1.00. COMPARATIVE CHINESE FAMILY LAW,

By E. H. PARKER. Can be obtained from KELLY & WALSH at Shanghai and Hongkong, at LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., Hongkong, and at the China Mail Office, Hougkens, December 6, 1879.

# Shipping.

Steamers.

FOR MANILA. The Steamship " Diamante." Captain Cullen, will be dospatched for the above

at 4 o'Clock p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, November 29, 1880.

Port on WEDNaSDAY, the 1st December,

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL The Co.'s Steamship "Teucer." -Capt. R. T. Power, will be despatched on or

about the 1st December. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, November 25, 1880.

AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY. STEAM FOR INGAPORE, COLOMBO, BOMBAY ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, AND

TRIESTE. (Toking Cargo at through rates to CAL-CUTTA, JEDDAH, ODESSA and the MEDITERRANEAN PORTS. The Co.'s Steamship " Vorwärts" will be despatched as above on TriUR, DAY,

the 2nd c'roximo, at 11 a.m., instead of as previously advertised. For Freight or Passage, apply to

MELCHERS & Co., Agents. Hongkong, November 27, 1880. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR YOKOHAMA (DIRECT.) The Co.'s Steamship Capt. A. Thompson, will oe despatched on or about the 2nd Lecomber.

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

Agents. Hongkong, November 25, 1880. STEAM TO BOMBAY FIA STRAITS. The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s

For Freight or Passage, apply to

Steamship
"Geelong"
will leave for the above place at 3 p.m., on THURSDAY, the 2nd Dec., instead of as previously notified. A. McIVER. Superintendent.

Hongkong, November 29, 1880. FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW. The Steamship "Kwangtung," Captain Young, will be despatched for the above

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. Hongkong, November 29, 1880. FOR YOKOHAMA.

The British Steamer

Ports on FRIDAY, the 3rd December, at.

Capt. GRANDIN, shortly due, will have quick despatch for the above Port. For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co. Hougkong, November 29, 1880, FOR PORT DARWIN, COOKTOWN

BRISRANE, SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE. (Calling at other QURENSLAND PORTS should sufficient inducement offer.) Steamer Steamer "Menmuir."

above. : For Freight or Passage, apply to GIBB. LIVINGSTON & Co.

Hougkong, November 19, 1880,

### Shipping.

Sailing Vessels.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The A 1 American Ship " Valnaraiso, Fellows, Master, will load here for the above Port, and

will have quick despatch.

For Preight, apply to RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, November 29, 1880.

FOR NEW YORK. The A 1 American Schooner. BROWN, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, November 29, 1880. FOR LONDON AND HAMBURG.

Captain Nissun, will load here for the above Ports, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to

The A 1 German Bark

VOGEL & Co. Hougkong, November 23, 1880. FOR NEW; YORK. The A 1 American Barque " Bells of Oregon, MERRIMAN, Master, will load ere for the above Port, and

For Freight, apply to VOGEL & Co. Hongkong, November 15, 1880. FOR NEW YORK. The A 1 American Bark

"John R. Stanhope,"

will mave quick despatch.

Pillsbury, Master, will load here for the about here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, November 8, 1880.

FOR HAVRE AND LONDON. The 5/6 L.1.1. German Bark The 5/6 L.1.1. German Bark
"Triton,"
RALLSEN, Master, will load here
for the above Ports, and will bave quick despatch.

#### ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co. Hongkoug, October 23, 1880.

For Freight, apply to

Mails. NOTHEL COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES

MARITIMES. PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS. STEAM FOR JAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, POINT DE GALLE. ADEN, SUEZ, ISMAILIA, PORT

SAID, NAPLES, AND MARSEILLES; PONDIGHERRY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA

AND ALL INDIAN PORTS.

N WEDNESDAY, the 8th December, 1880, at Noon, the Company's st DJEMNAH, Commandant DE B. BARON. WILL MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPEUIA and JARGO, will leave this Port for the above places. Cargo and Specie will be registered for

London as well as for Marseilles, and ao-

cepted in transit through Marseilles for the principal places of Europe. Shipping Orders will be granted until Cargo will be received on board until p.m., Specie and Parcels until 3 p.m. on the 7th December, 1880. (Parcels are not to be sent on board; they must be left at the Agency's Office.)\_ Contents and value of Packages are re-

For further particulars, apply at the

G. DE-CHAMPEAUX.

Hougkong, November 25, 1880. Occidental & Oriental Steam-Ship Company.

Company's Office.

TAKING THROUGH CARGO AND PASSENGERS FOR THE UNITED STATES AND EUROPE, IN CONNECTION WITH THE CENTRAL

UNION PACIFIC AND CONNECTIN RAILROAD COMPANIES

ATLANTIC STEAMERS.

THE S. S. GAELIC will be despatch-

ed for San Francisco via Yokohama, on MONDAY, 18th December, 1880, at 3 p.m., taking Cargo and Passengers for Japan, the United States, Mexico, Central and South America, and Europe. Connection is made at Yokohama, with Steamers from Shanghal. Freight will be received on Board until 4 p.m. of the 12th December, PARCEL PACKAGES will be received at the Office until 5 p.m. same day! all Parcel Packages should be marked to address in full; value

BAGE TICKETS. Consular Invoices to accompany Over-land, Mexican, Central and South American The Eastern and Aus. Cargo, should be sent to the Company's tralian Steamship Co. s Offices addressed to the Collector of Contoms, San Francisco. For further information as to Freight shortly due, will have quick despatch as of Passage, apply to the Agency of the Company, No. 37, Queen's Road Central

OHAS, H. HASWELL, JR.

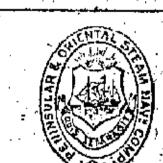
Agent.

A REDUCTION IS made on RETURN PAS.

of same is required.

Hongkong, November 29, 1880,

# Mails.



STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, POINT DE GALLE, ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, MALTA, GIBRALTAR. BRINDISI, ANCONA, VENICE,

SOUTHAMPTON, AND LONDON; BOMBAY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA, AND AUSTRALIA.

N.B .- Cargo can be taken on through Bills of Lading for BATAVIA, PERSIAN GULF PORTS, MARSEILLES, TRIESTE, HAMBURG, NEW YORK AND BOSTON.

THE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STRAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steam-ship TEHERAN, Capt. A. C. Locors, with Her Majesty's Mails, will be despatched from this for BOMBAY, on WEUNESDAY, the 1st December, at 4 p m. Cargo will be received on hoard intil Parcels and Specie (Gold) at the Office

Silk and Valuables for Europe will be transhipped at l'oint de Galle; but Tea and General Cargo at Bombay, arriving one week later than by the direct route via For further Particulars regarding FREIGHT and PASSAGE, apply to the PENINBULAR & ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGA-TION COMPANY'S Office, Hongkong. The Contents and Value of Packages are

until Noon on day of departure.

Shippers a e particularly required to note the terms and conditions of the Company's Black Bills of Lading. A. MolVER, Superintendent,

required to be declared prior to shipment.

### Hongkong, November 18, 1880. del

Insurances. THE INTERNATIONAL MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED,

OF LIVERPOOL.

THE Undersigned having been appointed AGENTS of the above Company, are prepared to grant Policies on MARINE RISKS to all parts of the World. .. ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.

CHINA TRADERS' INSURANCE

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COMMPANY, LIMITED. HEAD OFFICE, HONGKONG. Position of the Company at the close of the last financial year, the 30th April, 1880.

Hongkong, Nov. 27, 1880.

RESERVE FUND.....

able at any of its Agencies.

BALANCE UNDIVIDED ...... 70,278.48 DIVIDEND PAID TO SHARE-HOLDERS ...... 20 % per Annum. DIVIDEND PAID TO ALL CONTRIBUTORS OF B. SINESS; 25 % on the amount of their Contributions. HE Company grants Policies on MARINE A Risks to all parts of the World, pay-

Contributory Dividends are PAYABLE

CAPITAL SUBSCRIBED ......\$1,000,000.00

CAPITAL PAID-UP..... \$ 800,000.00

TO ALL CONTRIBUTORS OF BUSI-NESS WHETHER THEY ARE SHARE. HOLDERS OR NOT. B. GOLDSMITH, Acting Secretary.

Hongkong, August 13, 1880.

NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY. Incorporated by Royal Charter and Special Acts of Parliament.

ESTABLISHED 1809.

CAPITAL £2,000,000,

THE Undersigned, Agents at Hongkong for the above Company, are prepared to grant Policies against FIRE, to the extent of £10,000 on any Building, or on Merchandise in the same, at the usual Rates, subject to a discount of 20

GILMAN & Co.,

Agents.

Hongkong, July 6, 1875. QUEEN FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

oer cent.

NORTON & Co., Agents. Hongkong, January 1, 1874.

THE LONDON ASSURANCE. INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER His Majesty King George The First.

A. D. 1720.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Corporation are prepared to grant Insurances as follows :--Marine Department. Policies at current rates payable either here, lu London or at the principal Ports

Policies issued for long or short periods at urrent rates. A discount of 20 % allowed. Life Department. Policies issued for sums not exceeding £5.000 at reduced rates.

Fire Department.

of India, China and Australia.

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, July 25, 1872,

THE Undersigned are prepared to grant Policies against Fire to the extent to \$45,000 on Buildings, or on Goods stored therein, at current local rates, subject to a Discount of 20% on the Premia.

MacEWEN, FRICKEL & Co. TTAVE RECEIVED FOR SALE, Ex recently arrived Mail and other Steamships.

AMERICAN AND ENGLISH. GROCERIES. FRESH SUPPLIES RECEIVED BY EVERY

A PPLES. Green and Dried. M OLASSES, Canned and Bottled. E ASTERN CREAM CHEESE. R YE MEAL, BUCKWHEAT. I NDIAN CORN MEAL, OATMEAL. CRACKED WHEAT, HOMINY. A SSORTED JELLIES in Glass Jars. N UTS-BARCELONA, BRAZIL, SHELLBARK, ALMONDS. PECAN, WALNUTS

GREEN TURTLE, 11b. and 2lb. Cases. R USSIAN CAVIARE. O X-TONGUES, Smoked and Pickled. O LAM CHOWDER. E AGLE BRAND CONDENSED MILK. R ICHARDSON & ROBIN'S DEVILLED

MEATS. I TALIAN PASTES, MACCARONI and VERMICELLI E ASTERN HAMS and BACON. 8 MOKED SALMON.

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300, Fanquet, Newchwang Nov. 19, Beans. -Landstein & Co. Nov 30, Centaur, German barque, 468, C. Offersen, Newchwang Nov. 19, Beans. --

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DEPARTURES. Nov. 30. Clarerhouse, for Cooktown, &c. BO, Mary, for Bangkok. 30. Davina, for Bangkok. 30, Tunis, for Saigon. 30, Namoa, for Coast Ports. 30, Quinta, for Canton.

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Mesers Holland, Vincent, and Mehia, and 141 Chinese cleck. Per Welle, from Haiphong, 16 Chinese. Per Edmond Gressier, from Newchwang, Per Diamante, from Amoy, 300 Chinese, and two Europeans.

DEPARTED. Per Claverhouse, for Cooktown, &c., Mr James Creyk, 5 Europeans, and 8 Chinese. Per Namua, for Swatow, Mr B. Schaar. Per Tunis, for Saigon, 105 Chinese.

TO DEPART. Per Teheran from Hongkong : for Singapore, Hon. Campbell, and Mr F. G. Davidson ; for Penang, Mr John Glass ; for Bomhay, Messre Pestonjee and Fackerbhoy for Suez, Mrs J. T. Smith, Messrs C. Faltes, R. Faltes, G. B. Bryan, C. O. Paget, and G. Dattavi; for Southampton Mr J. R. Harding, Capt. A. P. Wodehouse, 27 h Regt., Mesers A. Shoolbread, R N., Jas. Crow, John Watson, Frank Minto, Jas. S. Wiles, H. Teing, and W. H. Po- Star of China. herts; for Brindisi, Mr J. Brown.—From Kobe: for Galle, Mr and Mrs Legret; for Melbourne, Mr Darby; for Southampton, Messrs S. F. Cot ou, O. B. Cotton, and Pidgeon; for Venice, Mr Flinsch.-From Yokohama: for Southampton, De and Mrs Wood, R.N. and 2 children.-From Shang bai: for southampton, Lient. C. C. P. Bawden, R.N., and Mr C. W. Jago, R.N. for Brindiei, Capt. Bendall and native servant ; for Suez Mr Maslousky.

Per Hing Shing, for Swatow, &c., 120 Chinese. Per Yuttung, for Swatow, 100 Chinese. Per Emma, for Bangkok, 12 Chinese.

SHIPPING REPORTS.

The British steamer Ocean reports: Left Pagoda Anchorage at 5 a.m. on the 28th; passed Turnabout at 1.30 p.m.; passed Lamock Island at 10 30 a.m. on 29th, and arrived at 9 a.m. of the 30th. Experienced firstly fresh N. E. monsoon and fair weather. latterly light winds and smooth sea.

The British steamer Kwangtung reports: Foochow to Amoy fresh monsoon and fine, Passed H. M.S. Swinger at wreck of Douglas. Amoy to Swatow strong monsoon and fine. Swatow to Hongkong variable winds and fine. Passed S. S. Namoa off Ninepins. In Foochow: S. S. Cheeland, Ocean, Hacsan, and H.M.S. Sheldrake. In Amoy H. M.S. Magpie. S. S. Albay left same day. tain, Chefoo, Newchwang, Wenchow, Olym-

pia, Miramer, and Vortigern. The British steamer Diamante reports: Moderate mongoon and fine weather. Nov. 30th spoke S. S. Namoa from Hongkong to Amoy and Swatow.

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Per Thornhill, at 7.80 a.m. To-morrow, the 1st Dec. Per Pechili, at 4.30 p.m. To-morrow, the For PORT DARWIN AND ADELAIDE. Per Ocean, at 3.30 p.m., on Wednesday,

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For STRAITS AND BOMBAY .--Per Geelong, at 2.30 p.m., on Thursday, the 2nd Dec., instead of as previously notified. FOR SWATOW, AMOY, & FOODHOW .-Per Kwangtung, at 5 p.m., on Thursday, the 2nd Dec.

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The China Mail.

HONGKONG, TUESDAY, NOV. 30, 1880. THE ITALIAN OPERA.

LA SONNAMBULA. Signor Cagli's Italian Company gave their third subscription performance at the City Hall last night, when was produced Bellini's charming Opera "La Sonnambula." A large and influential audience again attended, including His Excellency the Governor, and Lady Hennessy, General and Mrs Donovan, the Hon. W. and Mrs Keswick, the Hon. P. Ryrie, and the majority of our

leading residents.

The performance of Bellini's attractive chef d'æuvre was only remarkable for the fine performance of Signora Milani Vela in the character of Amina, and the comparative failure of the new tenor Signor Gozolini, who made his debut as the lover Elvino. The lady's artistic impersonation of the heroine-whether as the gay peasant, full of joy, life, and happiness on the eve of her nuptials; or as the broken-hearted girl deserted by her betrothed and all her friends, and resting under the stigma of undeserved disgrace-deserves the highest commendation, and the splendid reception she received must have been exceedingly gratifying to the young and accomplished artiste. Her acting in the sleepwalking scenes in the second and third acts was extremely realistic, and thoroughly in keeping with the traditions of the part. Unfortunately Signora Vela was but indifferently supported, and consequently even her fine acting, and almost perfect vocalisation, failed to make the opera a genuine success. is satisfactory to be able to confirm our previous verdict of Signora Vela's ability as a prima of approved excellence. Her great success with the music of Donizetti's Lucia di Lammermoor was quite equalled, if not surpassed, by her thoroughly artistic handling of Bellini's best efforts in La Sonnambula. For richness of tone this lady's voice is in our opinion hardly equal to that of Signora Genolini at its best, albeit it is a splendid organ, perfectly trained and well under E. Vaucher, J. H. Cox, F. L. Wooding C. the singer's control; but for expression, and facility of execution Signora Vela is incomparably the most finished vocalist we have mot in the Far East. The

efforts applauding heartily. With the exception of Signor Bagagiolo, who as the Count Rodolpho sang Tues. and acted with his customary ability, Thur. the aria "As I view these scenes charming" especially being fairly rendered, Sat. the rest of the characters were but in- Sun. differently sustained. Signor Gozolini's first appearance was not a success, although Elvino is a part which afforded the aspirant to leading honors every opportunity of scoring heavily. However, judging from his last night's Our readers will recollect that in our performance Signor Gozolini has few leading article of the 11th instant, we claims to be considered a leading quoted from Dr. Happer's contribution on operatic tenor. In the first place, the this subject to the Chinese Recorder. Dr Signor's voice has lost all the freshness Happer referred to the wide extent of unof youth, his style generally is jerky tilled land in some of the richest provinces of the Rupire as a proof of exaggeration. We and uneven, and his frequent use of the notice a memorial in the Peking Gasette of tremolo is as objectionable on it is the 18th October from the Governor General inartistic. As an actor the gentleman of the Liang Kiang respecting uncultivated has even fewer claims to public approval. | land in this, the best populated province in A clumsier lever we have seldom seen China. In Kiang-ning Fu, the prefecture on the lyric stage, and his conception of Nanking, recent surveys show that there on the lyric stage, and his conception are 496,030 acres not under cultivation, the and rendering of the character of Elvino majority of the unquitivated land, however, was conventional to a degree. The being hilly or low-lying country. In that Signor worked hard to achieve imprefecture there is seven per cent of taxable possibilities, and that is the highest land not under cultivation; but in the five praise we can honestly award him. The Prefectures and Departments of Socehows

manner in which she sang last night in

"Oh, do not mingle one human feeling."

prettiest and most attractive aria in the opera, the world-renowned "Still so gently o'er me stealing," was sung with so little expression as to make no impression whatever on the audience, and in the first line the singer was decidedly

The Lisa of Signora Cobianchi was 2 p.m.-Auction of Sundries at Wanchi not to be compared either musically or histrionically with the same artiste's impersonation of Azucena in Il Trovatore, although the part was most appropriately dressed. In her opening song "Sounds so joyful, bliss revealing" she

sang flat, but improved as she went on. Terera, the mother of Amina, was omitted from the cast altogether, and an old man substituted in whom we thought we recognised Signor Boganini. Where was the comprimaria, Signora Perelli? Signor Corti was a fairly amusing Alessio, but the chorus was simply wretched, in fact, worse than the three scarecrows who composed the chorus on the occasion of the Company's last visit. In the opening chorus last night, the singers were at least two bars behind the orchestra, and this style of thing was continued throughout the

Both in Trovatore and Lucia the choruses were such an improvement on last season's form, that we as a matter of justice considered it but fair to- praise them highly, but it now appears that the choruses on these two occasions were composed of leading artistes, including Signors Gozolini, Bocelli, Corti, &c. In the Sonnambula the chorus was composed solely of Signor Bocelli, assisted by two gentlemen who never opened their mouths throughout the performance. If Signor Cagli intends organising a second series of subscription pertormances, we would in his own interests strongly recommend him to take steps to prevent the repetition of such a fiasco as the representation of the Sonnambula undoubtedly proved, owing to an inefficient cast, and a thoroughly useless

The scenery and stage effects were passably good, and the brunt of the battle was as usual most creditably borne by the very efficient orchestra, led by Signor M. Vela.

Verdi's celebrated and justly popular "Ernani," is announced for Wednesday, when, with Signora Genolini, and Signors Bergamaschi and Bogolini, in the cost, a great triumph may be anticipated.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

he next American Mail may be looked for here on or about the 6th Dec., by the O. & O. steamer Gaelic, which brings San Francisco dates to the 4th inst. WE are informed by the Agents (Messra Butterfield and Swire), that the O. S. S. Co.'s steamer Glaucus from Liverpool left

Singapore p.m. of the 28th instant, and the

Sarpedon left Liverpool on the 26th idem,

both for this port. HONGKONG HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY. The principal business before the meeting of the Hougkong Hosticultural Society on Saturday was to appoint a new Committee, in consequence of Mr Hayllar vacating the office of President and Mr Taylor resigning the duties of Honorary Secretary. Mr Romano, Mr Dickie, and Mr Hughes also intimated their intention, under these circumstances, of resigning, but at Mr Armstrong, Mr Vaucher and Mr Woodin's request, a general meeting was convened that these matters might be d'soussed. As usual, it was but poorly attended, the public seeming quite willing to I ave the care of an Annual Exhibition to such genmen as will form a Committee and personally interest themselves in the undertaking. the meeting was unanimous in deciding that Mr Ford should be requested to assume the duties of Honorary Secretary, and we are glad to learn this gentlemen has agreed to do so. Until this vacancy was filled, those present could do little more than nominate a committee, which was done, and we trust to see many of the old names figuring on the Schedule of the next Annual Flower Show. There was no unanimity in the choice of a president, and it was at length decided that the Society might exist without one, Mr Armstrong, who continues the duties of Honorary Treasurer, accepting also the Chairmanship of the Committee. The following names were mentioned for the Committee :- Messrs C. P. Chater, H. Dickie, W. K. Hughes, A. G. Romano, A.

S. Taylor, H. J. Holmes, and W. M. B. The funds of the Society are tolerably flourishing, although there was a loss of "Oh Love, for me thy power," in the \$261.71 on the Exhibitions of 1878 and duet with Elvino " No more doubting, 1879. The balance in hands of the Hor.

no more fears," and in the final aria. Tressure is \$408.60. was inexpressibly fine, the audience who RETURN of Visitors to the City Hall thoroughly appreciated the fair artiste's Museum for the week ending N 28:-Mon. Nov. 22 id, 251b. 273 28 h, Suaday. Sunday. Totals 164 Grand total, 2,244.

THE Mercury, writing on the population of

China, says:-

China Mail. Ground COFFEE. Raw COFFEE. cents per lb.

Tai-t'sang there is an average of some Tam Yuk Shan said-"We must return the the first year. twenty per cent of taxable land that is not monopoly to Government." They said they The Attorney General objected to this under cultivation.

GENERAL John Kynaston Luard, C.B., of the Madras Army, whose death is announced as having happened a few days since at at Amoy about the 15th October. I sent | The Chief Justice concurred. He thought Gloucester Gardens, Hyde Park, was an the telegram because they had spoken about the Attorney General was leading up to a Army in 1819, and was promoted to a mind with us. When he came down they and by. lieutenancy in the same year; he became all came and saw him. Tam Yuk Shan re- The Attorney General asked to what alive. captain in 1825, major in 1836, lieut. peated what he said to me. Ban Hap said, point his Lordship referred. colonel in 1841, and colonel in 1851. He he would see about it, but he could not re- His Lord-hip replied that when the name served with the expedition to Ava in 1824, turn the license; he would do his best to of a gentleman was mentioned—he forgot and was present at the capture of Arracan, follow it up to the end of the time; that the name although be ought to know itand was wounded in the attack of the the licens, was in his name. He said no- (after consulting the Puisne Judge) -- Mr heights there, for which he received the thing as to whether he believed the thing Pitman, of course—the Attorney G necal medal. He also served with the Kurnool could be made to pay. He said something said he would come to Mr Pitman in the Field Force in 1839, and took part in the like that he would take means to acrange proper time. China expedition from June 1842 down to with them. When Tam Yuk Shan could or The Attorney General believed that what the suspension of hostilities in the September | would do nothing, they began to sell their | he said was that he had nothing to do with following. He was present at the capture shares. If the Up um Ordinance had been Mr Pitman now. of Woosung and Shanghai, and served with strictly enforced, we should have gained inthe Central Brigade under Major-Gen. stead of losing. That was our opinion still, put it, but he had no note of it. Schoedde at the storming and capture of There was nothing in the Ordinance about a The Puisne Judge had no note of the Chin-kiang-foo, for which service also he Farm at Macao. This was what the Govern- matter. had received the medal. He became major- ment promised us. Mr Pitman promised us Mr Hayllar: Natura'ly, my learned general in 1854, was promoted to lieut. that. We could have gained in spite of the friend is a little sensitive. general in 1865, and to general in 1870. Macao Farm. We mentioned as one The Attorney General: I don't know He was nominated a Companion of the breach that of the French Mail. Assuming why I should be naturally sensitive here

NAME! NAME!-In Shanghai, to do good by stealth and blush to find it fame is the rule; Shanghai. In Hongkong it is different. object of the pegotiation was to get them to in some measure for the extraordinary mortality in Shanghai of those who have been connected with the press in the last few YORIB. - Mercury.

#### SUPREME COURT. IN ORIGINAL JURISDICTION. (Before the Full Court.)

Tuesday, Nov. 30. THE DIFFERENCES BETW. EN THE LESSEE OF THE OPIUM FARM. The further hearing of this case was con-

tinued this morning and eccupied the Court all day :— Tan King Sing, examination continued:-Since the amiliamation (March 1st) the Min Wo Fung has boiled opium only for exportation down to the 4th moon, 9th May. The Man Wo Fang then left off boiling because there was no optum seiling. The difference between what the Man We Fun; prepared opium and the Yan Wo prepared opium brings is \$150 more or less Ler thousand taels of opium; a box weighs say 500 taels. The Man Wo Fung's opium. brings less. The value of 1000 weight of opium here is \$950. For local

purposes we boil opium and have done so since March 1st. I never took shares in the Man We Fung Limited Coy. Cross-examined:-I have 30 shares the original Man Wo Fung. I undertock to tender for the license and was one of the ori inal members. I took no active part in the formation of the original company. had nothing to do with the drawing up of the agreement. I signed it. I was a stranger here. I represented Ban Hap. I was Ban Hap's only representative at the time. I was acquainted with the new Opium Farm Ordinance. I had seen the ordinance and understood the conditions. I made enquiries of the state of the previous farmers. I knew of what was here, but did not know there was an opium firm there. As Ban Hap's sole representative here I tendered for the Hongkong Farm without knowing of the Opium Farm at Macao. I know all about the farms at Singapore and Saigon, both of which are in our hands. The first year we lost more than \$150,000. During the first year I was one of the directors. We met together periodically to regulate. We observed these losses from month to month. We taked about them amongst ourselv s. losses going on, Seeing these consulted among ourselves and resolved to cell up more capital; we were short of capital because we could not sell our opium. We informed the shareholders as they came to the office to enquire how things were going on. The shareholders met the Directors on the second call, and third call. (minute-book produced, and witness asked to s ow the minutes of these meetings). am more at home with English or Malay than Chinese writing. I know ve y little Chinese. On intercalary 3rd moon, 11th day (1st May, 1879) a week after which themeeting was made. The proposal for a call is here minuted. I was present and undertood by interpretation what happened. No statement of accounts was made; the only thing that was said was that we wanted more money. I knew by this time that there was an Opium Farm at Macao, I first heard about Macao in the beginning of March. call. I don't recollect whether any emlanation was given to the shareholders why it | clerks. was necessary. This second call made up the \$500 per share, which the agreement the 18th of 10th moon, (26th Nov), the lases by the competition of the Manao Company would be able to go on a little. He explained that these were large longer. He mentioned that the loss was a

did not want the monopoly; they were line of re-examination as not arising out of willing to forfeit the \$50,000 deposit the cross examination. money, and they would not longer be direcwas there. I had telegraphed to Ban Hap had been sought from the Government.

Order of the Bath in 1812 .- Overland Mail. 11 at breach to be put a stop to, they would I am always rightly sensitive about an have to pay us all the back dues. I would thing said of my conduct as a counsel.

of the French mail; that was some time last be as sensitive as he could. It did not modest merit is no exception. Something November. By the breach of the former after the fact that he had put a great many dreadful but vague must happen when any- or ium farmer in boiling in excess of his questions as to the demands made of the body's name is mentioned, just as something license up to the very last moment and Government with a view to protect the dreadful but vague is supposed to happen flooding the markets, we lost over \$50,000. Farmer. For instance "had the opium when the Speaker of the House of Commons | Again they should have transferred the opin ordinance been strictly enforced they would names a member, or a member says the um to us, instead of which they took it have gained instead of lost mo ey." "House of Lords" instead of "another away, sending it to California &c. All learned Attorney General must not supplace," or refers to the Sovereign. We these facts were known to the sharehol'ers. pose that he (Mr Hayllar) was attacking started three meetings ago to give the names They were known outside too, no doubt to the Government in any way, he was not of the gentleman riders in our report of the all the Europeans Had we got rid of the going into the Pitman point himself. Races, having of course first ascertained mail abuse, the glut and the non-sale to The Attorney everal: You can't. that it was not disagreeable to those con- us by the old company, we could have gone cerned, with perhaps one exception out of on with profit. Then besides all this there not going to do it. a couple of dozen. The next meeting the was this reason for our joining the Yan | Mr Hayllar read some answers of the other papers followed our example. This Wo, we could not rell our new chop. We witness in cross-examination bearing on the meeting the Stewards sent a message to the found out this two or three months after | matters he now referred to. Reporters of the other papers to suppress the they went to Macao. We tried to avoid names of the riders in their weekly reprints. | competition, then we sent to them for ne-They complied, we believe. Some vague g tiations. In the first negotiation we sent questions. He had nothing to do with horror follows the publication of a name in Mr. Shek Ching Chun to the Sun Yee. The

They have a Concert, and the journals say boil for us. We wanted their chop. All this,-these peop'e believed they had that Mr. Blank sung well, and Mrs. So and the directors were present when we were bought the whole business and that So proved to be a new star, and these are all talking about this matter. The other side, the Government of Hongkong by passamateurs who are not ashamed of them- Sun Yee, asked too much, -\$80 or \$90 p-r ing an ordinauce could prevent the exselves. The periphrases an unlucky Reporter | chest. We now pay only \$50; the arrange- portation of opium and all opposition of the Amateur Concerts has to invent in or- | ment was with the Yan Wo to pay \$70, | to this Farm. They believed the Governder to designate a singer without mentioning | This reduction was a compromise; they'got | ment could bring them to gain money over his or her name is a severe tax on the brains a concession in another way, less raw opium of unlucky journalists, and perhaps accounts | being required to produce a certain quantinegotiate with the Sun Yee, and afterwards | Macao? we renewed negotiations with the Yan Wo. Ban Hap gave as his reason for again ontering into negotiations that he could not

> arisen between the Chap Sing and the Yan | what was desired of them to protect them. Wo); that also was a reason. Ban Hap | they would have protected those peo l made the proposition to the Yan Wo here. But they could do nothing in the through Shek Ching Chun after he had in- matter of the French Mail steamers, nor the formed me that he was to do so ; he did not lother. ask my advice; had he done so my advice would have been in accordance with his dejoin we could make the conditions afterwards. The negotiator reported, as I understood (I was present) that the Yan Wo

would be very glad to join us if they could get rid of the Ohan Sing, and they were suit in Court over this orium.

people to consent, Before the meeting

was as near as our memories could guide us to go to Ng Choy's to sign, and Ban Hap also true; and a gentleman connected with Chiz, arrived from Kobe on Wednesday, cargo. to the 23rd February. The latter agree- also was pleased to go there. ment was, as near as I can recollect, the same as the former; it was so intended. The latter agreement was drawn up the day before signature, or on the morning of that day, by both parties.

The gross-examination at this point was adjourned till after tiffin.

14th, 1879. Negotiations had been going Toll r and Johnson, appeared for the proprovided should be made up at once. (in on here before I took up the thread of nego- secution, and proceeded under ordinance 2 tiations which had been going on for some of 1850, charging the whole of the defendthird call was made. We had contemplated | months. Mr Ban Hap had been here him ante as above. The Magistrate of the that the \$500 per share would allow us to self. This was the second tender made, District was in communication with the star; and at the time when the second call but I do not know myself of that. I had a Vicercy of Canton for the rendition of the was made, I did not contemplate calling for limit to the offer I was to make. I had to defendants, who are also further charged the rest of the subscribed capital. Another offer more than \$180,000. I had never with feloniously wounding at the same meeting of shareholders was held with the been to Hongkong before in connection place and on same date, one Yeung San Directors, when Ban Hap said he would re- with an Opium Farm. As to what I have Chun. quire another small call on account of our said, regarding my not knowing that there was an Opium Farmer at Mucao was effect, that he was stationed at the Hung To the Editor of the "SHANGHAI MERCURY. He said that with the new call the simply that for the first three days I was Ham Police Station. At about 8.30 pm.

great sum up to then. He mentioned you find other persons here when you are district. One of the men making the re-\$140,000 to \$160,0 0, 1 think. It was rived acting in Mr Ban Hap's interests | port directed witness to house No. 21 A. certainly over \$100,000. From November Witness, examination, continued to The Hung Ham, where he found the thirteen to March the Farm was still much the same. loss which I attribute to the M. M. defendants and two other men. By going on for a little he meant pay. steamers I trace directly to the Macao prisoners were identified by three of the the hardest it rose to 31.00 inches. Such an ing off a little of what we had lost. Farm, About three or four months after men who gave the information as being not going on losing at the same fate, we began business we found that we concerned in the murder. Witness had to any officer on board the ship. " This Ban Hap said, we would yet be able to go could not compete in price with them. searched the prisoners at the station and phenomenon would certainly deserve to be on at a gain. Tam Yuk Shan and Ko Fook Loong, Lai Yoong and Yes Loong, found no weapons on them. Lung Yuen (two first Plaintiffs) had the three shops with which we have Yeung Kon Un, a hawker, one of the in explainable; it appears from the report, that always teen present at the Directors meet. made the agreement, were the shops formers, deposed that he raided at the the ship was on her-beam ends during the They were present at that meeting with whose chops we could not compete. Sheung Vellage, and that on the height of the storm ("the vessel lay with and signed the minutes. No shareholder when we found out the hurt they were 22nd of this month about breakfast time he her portside completely unter water, so much genr has been missed from the hulk Chinor director said snything against that motion doing us, we asked the assistance of heard some one call out "save life." On so that the cabin doors were in a horizontal see, which is at present being converted or opposed the motion for a call of \$100 a the Government here more than once to coming out of his house witness saw about position instead of perpendicular, and the liste a sailing vessel in this harbour. Re- Touron, \$750 in full.

Mr Hayllar said the learned Attorney tors. Ng Man Kwan, one of the directors. General had said a great deal as to what

His Lordship thought it was as he had

Bay over \$100,000 loss ensued to us because Mr Hayllar said his learned friend migh

Mr Hayllar: Whether I can or not I am The Attorney General said these word answers given without reference to his

Mr Hayllar said the position was the farm instead of losing it.

To witness: When did you first come to ty of prepared opium. In the 12th moon | the conclusion that the Government could (begins January 12.h) we made attempts to | not assist you by putting down the farm at

Witness: About five months after we com menced business here we found that out. Mr Hayilar: We don't make any charge | cutting trees near Ngan Tan Wan on the stand the competition any longer. (Para- against the Government. I have no doubt 29th inst. graph read as to certain differences having that if the Government could have done Witness:-We were then thrown on

our own resources. We found out in No em-November in the French Mail steamer. Shek Chin Chup, merchant: I reside at the Yes Yik, general merchants. Bonham trand, where I have goods for sale. I had five shares in the Man Wo original Comto get Macao opium pass d through of what he had paid to the Company. I them. here they would join the Hougkong farm. first began negotiations be ween the Man The opium came and went. There was a Wo, and the Fun Yes, on the 11th month, They were | 2nd, 3rd, and 4th moon last year. The doing all they could to coin us; we had to hart negotiations came to nothing. The

protect ourselves. Ban lisp then called a second time I went to the people of the obstruction in the street, on the 2 th inst., meeting (February 25th) to get all these Yan Wo; they came to nothing. Again I and was fined \$10, in default to be imwent to the Yan Wo at a time when they and | prisoned for three weeks with hard labour. something had been arranged. There had the Chap Sing had a quarrel. Fung Ming been a general understanding that they Shan, compradore of the Chartered Bank. would combine as at 1st March. Every- | was a man of the Yan Wo side. Minute body knew that was to be done. They book shown and referred to a certain minute knew it was what Ban Hap wanted, and witness said it contained generally, but not capable on the 29th inst., but, having been that was enough. The shareholders were particularly the terms agreed on for amalcalled by a circular. Twenty were present. gamation. The meaning of the words "the caution. There was little or no discussion. All those Yan Wo having come to the Company" who were present signed, I believe. The | was simply "the two have agreed to join todirectors themselves prepared this doon- gother." I took the a reement of the 23rd ment in the meeting without the advice of February to the Yan Wo aid got it back lawyers. The conditions had to go to the mmediately, and gave it back to Ban Hap. Yan Wo for approval before they were en. The Yan Wo wanted it altered in several tered in the book. If the Yan Wo did not particulars. I signed the agreement of approve these terms the directors were to 23rd February. There was an agreement ed the survey of the lower Yangtze, last meet again to see what alterations could be signed on March 9th in which there were spring, the Chinese authorities commenced made. Between the 5th and 23rd February | many conditions. The paper of the 23rd | surveying the bar, to connect, I believe, the

delay ensued; Ban Han and Shek Chin February was taken away by Ko Leung | Magpie's survey with a survey of their own Chuu had some affairs of their own about | Yuen, and he and Tam Yuk Shan said of the Whangpoo. It was a beautiful sight some new monopoly at Canton. The negot they would not negotiate with the Yan to see the number of handsome flags erected, down to dinner, were handsomely arranged vessels from Bankok to Java has slackened, tiations were further continued by consult. Wo, but with the Chap Sing. All were gaily painted cages, squares, cones, barber's in a mass of camelias and chrysauthemums. and rates have declined. ations between Ban Uap and Shek Chin agreed on the 23rd about combining with poles, etc., to serve as points of departure, I The whole entertainment, including the Chun on the one hand, and the Yan Wo on | the Yan Wo; and it was only when the | presume. But what is the upshot of all | masic, - revived, in all its details, the an- ceeds to the Fanning Islands (South the other. After the new agreement was paper was taken back from the Yan Wo this? are the bar marks altered to correspond cient customs of Japan. made at the meeting he kept it in his box that some of them objected to the com- with the deepest water in the bar? Oh dear the original copy, somebody else took the drew up an agreement on March 9th, with bar marks a little open (to pass more souther- port she will return again in the course of San Francisco eff cted elsewhere. rough draft; Ban Hap did not, I believe | which everyone was pleased. There were | ly, than with the marks in line) you get 5 in- | a few days. The Portuguese gunboat do i. The rough draft was prepared by 576 shares represented in the signatures of ches more water, than is hoisted "-which | Mandovi arrived from Yokohama on Mon- tons, proceeds to Victoria, Vancouver Isthe c'erk. I do not know w y he did not March 9th. That agreement was drawn is true. Another person tells you "keep day, and, after coaling, left the following send the conditions to the Yan Wo or a about the 4th March. I took it thence to the marks well open and you will get a foot day for Hongkong. The U.S. flag-ship The agreement of the 9th March | the barrister's. As the Yan Wo wished | more water, than is signalled "-which is | michmond, bearing the flag of Admiral

> Police Intelligence. (Before the Hon. M. S. Tonnochy.) Tuesday, Nov. 30.

THE TRIPLE MURDER IN CHINESE TERRITORY Tang Otan, 35. of Kwai Shin, farmer. Cross-examination continued: The agree and twelve others, farmers and hawkers, navigation by shifting the marks when the first visit of the Admiral to Nagasaki, the Philippines to London or Liverpool, ment of March 9th was left at Mr Achoy's appeared on a charge of being concerned in channel does shift; sweet laisser after et Men of war in harbour: British, Iron £2 15s. per ton Sugar; £3 7s. 6d. per ton office for the signature of the first two the murder of Yeung Sin Fat, Young Lo laissez faire must not be interfered with. Luke; Russian, 1 jigit, Gornostai, and Homp. Plaintiffs. I had it afterwards in the house Kwai and Young Shui Kwai, in the viliage The following is the direction for crossing Acqua. and showed it to whoever came. A copy of Shoung Young in the Kwai Shin district; the bar from the China Sea Directory (British ] was made for the Yan Wo by different also of being dangerous to the peace and good order of the Colony, on the 22nd inst. Re examined :-- I came here on January Mr Stokes, fr m the fi m of Messra Sharp,

P.O. John McMullen have evidence to the here, I did not know of my personal know- on the 26th inst., a number of Chinese Question put, but not pressed, Did men had been murdered in the Kwei Shin

hare. Han Hap was at Amoy in October, get rid of the importation from Macao; we | twenty men armed with swords attacking officers had to walk upon them, instead of cent circumstances caused the owner to German barque Hansa, 498, to Touron

Sung-kiang, Chang-chow, Chin-kiang, and The two first Plaintiffs came to us and first asked in the third or fourth moon of Yeung Sing Fat, and the other two men the floor of the cabins; there was nothing to suspect his watchman, of and back to Hongkong via Bangkok, \$4,750 arrived the murderers ran away. Witness | most likely that the barometer of the Scot- | The Russian gunboat Gornostai was witness as they lived in the same village: the thirteen prisoners were all engaged in officer who had seen some active service in returning the monopoly. I merely said, certain point. He had not dealt with one the attack. The three men who were killed India and China. He entered the Indian "Come down quick." We wanted a master point to which he said he would come by had no weapons in their hands. Young San

THE PERJURY BY AN INFORMER. Chang Amuk, 29, blacksmith, appeared

occasions during the last three or four who might be selling prepared opium with. Waish. out a license. On the morning of the 24th inst., defendant went to the Opium Farm's 1-Hong in Bonham Strand and told Mr des house and baught six conts worth of opium | for .- Yours very respectfully, of a man named Tam Chi Lan, producing at the same time a small quantity of opium | Shanghai, 28th October, 1880. which he said he had bought there. A warrant having been obtained from the Police Office, and the defendant having signed the information as correct, the house was entered by Sergeant Campbell, accompanied by defendants who pointed out a man as having sold him the onium. The man was arrested and afterwards discharged, no one of the name given by defendant being found or known in the house, and the only opine found on the premises being a small quantity belonging to one of the tenants, an office boy in the employ of Messra Dune, Melbye & Co., who held a permit from the Opium Farmer for the opium purchas d, and who could not possibly, evidence was produced to show, have been in the house at the time defendant stated he brought the onium The case was further remanded till the 3rd December.

(Refore the Hon. Ny Choy.)

LEAVING A JINRICKSHA IN THE ROADWAY. Li Tak, a jinri ksha coolie, was fined 50 cents or two days' imprisonment, for leaving his jinricksha in the middle of Queen's Road for a quarter of an hour, and thereby obstructing the road.

DAMAGING TREES. Kong Ating, 68, fisherman, was fined \$1, with the alternative of two hours vexp sure | benefited. in the stocks at the scene of offence for

S.ik Asam, 29, hawker, and two women. were charged with being in possession of some freshly out shrubs on the 29th inst. Defendants said that they bought the branches from some people who brought them from Kowloon, and were ordered to find security each in two sureties of \$5 | the past year, and notably during the past each to be of good behaviour for two few months. Probably not one half of the termination. He said if they consented to fer that opium could be taken through in months; in default to be committed for seven days.

UNLAWFUL POSSESSION. Leung Asam. 24. cinder dealer, was fined \$2, in default to be imprisoned for asven working with that and in view. It was pany; and afterwards bought eight more days with hard labour, for unlawful possaid that if they would pass some opium from Tam Yuk Shan. I bought the shares session of two baskets of half-burnt coal on through Hongkong, it might be done. If under the name of Fok Yee. I hought the 30th inst., not being able to give a Ban Hap would help the Yan Wo the shares at different times at 50 per cent, satisfactory account of how he obtained

> STREET GAMBLING. Oling Among, 49, fireman, unemployed, was convicted of gambling a d causing an DRUNK AND INCAPABLE.

William Ba four, 17, ceaman unemployed, admitted a charge of being drunk and inlocked up all night, was discharged with a

#### CORRESPONDENCE.

THE WOOSUNG BAR.

To the Editor of the "SHANGHAI MERCURY." DEAR STR !- After the Magnie had finishthe navigation of the British Mail Packets and sailed again yesterday morning for Case ac journed till to-morrow at 10 a.m. | told me that he carefully sounded the Bar | Shanghai and Hongkong. The Richmond and actually found 18, say eighteen, inches will return here early in the spring, to more water, than was hoisted. This is no remain in this harbour, we understand, for fault of the signalman at Woosung, he in- several weeks. Admiral Clitz. commanddicates the water correctly on the Bar, in ing the American squadron in Asiatic line with the leading marks; but the fact is, waters, was one of the officers who visited that the channel is shifting to the south- | Japan with the Perry Expedition, in 1853. ward, towards Gough Island, and that pro- That expedition did not get beyond Yokobably it is too inconvenient for Chinese hama, which was then a fishing village, indolence to meet the requirements of where the treaty was made, and this is the across the Bar. -- Yours truly,

Off Red Buoy, 20th November, 1880.

A SINGULAR PHENOMENON." SIR,-In last night's issue of your valuable paper a singular phenomenon is recorded cume to the station and reported that three in the highly interesting article headed "the Scottish Fairy in a typhoon." It is stated that "a singular phenomenon occurred dur-| ing the heaviest part of the gale : the merourial harometer is hung in the after part of occurrence as this was never known before

men to their assistance, and when they suspended perfectly perpendicular, it is his arrest. saw the three deceased lying on the ground tish Fairy was not in a perpendicular posi- taken on the Slip, and the Japanese gundead. The prisoners were well known to tion, when the height of the mercurial boat Amagi Kan was taken in the Dock. column was supposed to be 31.00. I am of on Sunday last. The repairs to the Amagi course quite prepared to admit that the being completed by Tuesday morning, her vessel's barometer had been properly sus- place was taken by the S. S. Windivestock. nended under normal circumstances, but it The Gorno tai still remains on the Slip. Cheung, the man who was wounded, is still is doubtful whether its mode of fixing is The Nerpo sailed down to Akunoura yes The case was here remanded to Dec. 7th. main perpendicular, when the ship is on her under repairs. beam ends, and "whatever be the kind of barometer used, it is of the utmost consequence -that no readings from a barometer which is not truly vertical should ever be recorded. on remand charged with perjury on the | Such readings will always be too high in proportion to the decree of obliquity." (Instruc-Defendant has been employed on several | tions in the usc of Meteorological Instruments. page 6, compiled by the Rev. Father M. months in getting information of persons | Dechevrens, S. J., Shanghai, Kelly and

It is very probable, that owing to the anxiety in which the officers of the ship were The generous hospitality of the governplaced by the terrible situation of their Santos, an excise-officer, employed by the vessel, it escaped their attention, that their Opium Farmer, that he wished to lay an faithful monitor, the mercurial barometer, information against house No. 31 Cochrane- was out of its proper position, and thus "the Street, saying that he had been to that | singular phenomenon? is readily accounted

Chins. SHANGHAI.

(N. C. D. News.) We hear that the forts at Silver Island have had a month's good practice, with the results of which the Chinese authorities are perfectly satisfied, and in consequence they when turtle-soup could not be obtained have resolved that it is unnecessary to ex- at less than two guiness a pint, other pend more powder and shot until the real memy makes his appearance. The Vicerov took great interest in the operations and his arrival at the different fortifications was always the occasion for a salute.

> Japan. YOKOHAMA.

(Gazette.)According to the Mainichi Shinbun native silk-worm egg dealers and foreign purchasers are not getting along very well this season, as the prices asked for cards are higher than buyers are willing to pay. The result is that out of 451,930 cartons brought into Yokohama, only 20,177 had changed hands up to the 14th instant. The dead-look continues; and the longer the stagnation in this particular branch of business lasts the better for Japan. In fact, if all the silkeggs in the place intended for export were bought up and destroyed, if they caunot be used here, the country would be vastly

> NAGASAKI. (Express, Nov. 20.)

Compared with former years, night robberies,—especially from godowns and outhouses, -have been most unmistakably on the increase in the foreign settlements in Japan; - Nagasaki not excepted, -during losses incurred by foreigners have been publicly made known; as it has only been in the few exceptional cases where the thief has been actually caught in the act. and there has been no alternative, that the offenders have been handed over to the police, and the matter allowed to be inment caused by the roundabout way the Japanese have of playing with justice. has been far worse for the prosecutor than the punishment has been for the prisoner. Until more effective means are taken to prevent robberies, and stricter punishments are accorded to the guilty, it remains undeniable that robberies will continue to

increase, and that petty thieves will be

emboldened to more daring and dangerous

attempts, instead of being checked at the

commencement of their infamous and unlawful career. Mr Okauchi, of the Imperial Court of Nagasaki, entertained the Consular Corns at dinner on the evening of Saturday last, dining hall and reception rooms were taste- improvement. fully hung with banners and flags of all

The property of the old established in the Philippines to London or Liverpool, this article, and prices are as last reported. Admiralty) of 1874, p. 360:- "The leading Dutch company, the Netherlands Trading £2 15s. per ton Sugar; £3 7s. 6d. per Manufactories of White Lead are at a mark for the best water, 12 feet at low water | Society, at present in the occupation of ton Hemp. apringe, is two poles on the bank of the river, Mr H. M. Fleischer, is advertised to be 14 miles above Pheasant Point, KEPT IN LINE, sold by public auction on the 1st prox. E. 4 8. "—Of course this direction is utterly | when, we have been given to understand. misleading, unless the marks are shifted to the old Dutch flag-stuff, which for many to Sourabaya (inside the Bar), 50 cents W.B. \$6.60 per picul. correspond with the change of the channel years carried the Dutch colours on De. per picul; (outside the Bar), 45 cents per | Quickelly weaker at \$58 shima during the time that Holland was | picul. represented by the respective agents of the that the Company contemplate closing £1 5s, per ton Sugar. their Yokobama branch at the end of the present year. Our local Postmaster, Mr Midzashima.

informs us that arrangements have been made with the Russian Post Office at Batavis, \$2,600 in full. Wladivostock, by which mails may be forwarded from here to that port, and vice to Swatow, 27 cents per ploul. versa, by any vessel bound to these respec-The the cabin and during the time it was blowing tive ports. The postage to be the same Chefoo and back, \$3,450 in full. us for China, viz: 5 sen per 15 grm. for letters and I see per 50 grm. for news. papers. The S.S. Wladivostock, leaving 20 cwt. during the ensuing week, will carry the considered strange, if it was not very easily first mail, further particulars respecting to Shanghal (bil), 10 cents per case. which will be circulated in due time. For several months past a considerable and back, \$2,000 in full. quantity of material and ship's working

named, and cut them to death. Young San do but to send another mast overboard,") making away with them in the night, and in full. Cheung was also seriously wounded. Wit- and since a mercurial barometer only in- further investigation in the matter conness went and called a number of his clans. | dicutes the atmospheric pressure correctly if | firmed his suspicious sufficiently to warrant

calculated to permit the instrument to re- | terday morning, and is apparently going

THE RUSSIAN ADMIRAL AT YOKOHAMA. (Jupan Gazette, Nov. 18.)

Some unaccountable rumours were floating about the settlement to-day rehis staff on arrival in Japanese waters, ment is a quality that has shone forth on many previous occasions when receiving those guests Japun delighteth to 12, and, of the butter teas, about 1,200 honour; but if what we hear has any boxes have been taken, costing Tls. 20 a 24 foundation, and friendship can be estimated by the warmth of the welcome. to be accorded. Russia must rank next to the United States in the esteem of Japan. Preparations are making for a Tis, 20 a 22, all the below mentioned purbanquet in honour of the gallant ad- chases are of the "common to good commiral, and the officers of his somewhat numerous though unostentations fleet. that would astonish the wardens of the richest city company even at a time del cacies in proportion.

Festivities of this sort do good, and benefit those who are employed as purveyors, decorators, &c.; while possibly a commission or two may be earned by those who labour in the good cause of furthering domestic industries.

will, no doubt, be provided out of the reserve fund; for it is evidently one of those contingencies the reserve fund is specially maintained to meet. It is a deeply interesting thing, to use the spirited language of the celebrated author of letters to The Times, to see a nation like Japan emerge from its despotic 420 bales of Tsalee reels; early purchases seclusion of 250 years, with a warm welcome to the gallant Muscovite: though we much fear the cordiality of the reception may be somewhat damped home markets, rates suddenly advanced when the recollection flashes over the there are now no sellers at the quotations minds of the entertainers of the valuable given underneath, and all stocks are being portion of an ancient empire bartered firmly held. We do not think that 20 bales away by them for a few barren rocks of No. 4 Teatlee could be bought to-day at and a compact which will never be ful- \$3.5 per picul.

Whatever welcome Admiral Lessoffsky may receive from the government, he doing, and only 250 boxes of Cumchuck and may rest assured that, so far as the Lucklow are reported to have been settled people of Japan are concerned. memory of Saghalin rankles in their breasts, and they will only look upon Russia as the first despoiler of the sacred representative accordingly.

attention shown to Russia is a fresh insult to China. The Russian fleet in cription on offer, vestigated by the native authorities; it | China waters has an avowed object-the being too generally known that the trouble, coercion of a friendly and neighbouring inconvenience, and ultimate disappoint Compire. Reverse the positions, and say what Japan would think of China if the to American, 4,002 boxes; to Bombay, latter country acted as Japan is said to 3,675 piculs; total, 3,598 bales; 4,002 be about to act.

COMMERCIAL.

MR R. STEIL'S Freight Circular for the Mail of Wednesday, 1st December, says:--Business in the market during the past fortnight has been fairly active as regards tiome charters, and freights are firmer; but the coasting trade generally has been dull, and rates are somewhat weaker. Homewards, a fair demand for tonnage

to load in the Philippines for the United the 13th inst., at his residence, No. 31, Kingdom has continued, although transac-Uma-machi. The grounds and the ap- tions have been but few. Vessels are also prouches thereto were brilliantly illuminat | wanted from this port to Europe, and ed with many-coloured lanterns, and the freights in this direction show a decided

Coastwise, the enquiry for steamers from nations. Mr okauchi's associates of the the Southern Rice ports has been very Imperial Court were present to assist in dull, one or two suitable boats may perhaps doing honour to his guests. The rooms obtain 25 cents per picul to Salgon and were decorated with flowers, and the tables, back, but from Bangkok to this port there at which about twenty-four gentlemen sat is very little doing, the demand for sailing,

The German bank Urion, 953 tons, pro-Pacific) under orders from home; the in mats, and \$9.20 in boxes. Sales: 1,000 The Russian corvette Dji it arrived on American ship Importer, 1,270 tons pro- piculs. Stock: 2,700 piculs. Tai Wo is for three or four days; I think he had only bination. We consorted and agreed and no! One party tells you, "if you keep the Saturday last from Wladivostock, to which creds to Manila under charter thence to quoted at \$9.05 in mats, and \$9.80 in The British bark Mary Mildred, 450 Old Tai Wo is quoted \$8.95 in mats,

land, under orders from home. The British bark Glamorganshire, 475 picul. Camphor, \$19.50 a \$20.50 per picul. tons, proceeds to Shanghai with her original packed.

The disengaged tonnage in port amounts to 10 vessels, registering 3,922 tons. steamers not included. The following are the settlements :-

German barque Civiale, 379, to London and Hamburg, Private German brig Catherine, 281, to London,

York, £1'15s, per ton of 40 o. ft. German barque Guatav. 656, one Port in

German barque Hamburg, 349, one Port

American ship Valparaiso, 1246, to San present nominal rates are not likely to be Francisco, Private. British steamer Crusader, 647, Bangkok brand \$6.40 a \$6.45, hole Chop \$6.40 and

British barque Caberfeidth, 393, Bangkok Notherlands I rading Society, will be sold to Sourabaya (maide the Bar), 374 cents for what it will realise, by order of the per picul; (outside the Bar), 321 cents per steamer, £8.4/, and per sailing vessel, 44/ Dutch Government. We are also informed picul; and from Sourabaya to Melbourne, per ton of forty and fifty cubic feet, German brig Tartar, 250, Bangkok to one Port in Java (incide the Bar), 40 cents per picul; (outside the Bar), 85 cents per picul. | 32/6 per ton of 40 cubic feet.

British brig Mary, 287, Bangkok to

German harque Anna Bertha, 468. Chefoo German barque Livingstone, 531. to ! Triton, Teucer str., Civiale. lung to Hongkong (Coal), \$2,35 per ton of Singapore, John R. Stanhope, Belle of

American schooler Annie S. Hall. 455. French barque Esperance, 272, to Labuan German barque Gesine Brons. 402. to Singapore, \$1,075 in full.

British steamer Paladin, 897, to Halphong and back, 23 cents per picul. German steamer Octava, 936, Shanghal to Swatow, 25 Tael cents per picul. Dan steamer Nordstiernen, 795, Monthly Charter, 6 months, \$5,200 per month.

MESSES DEACON & Co.'s Canton Market Report, dated 29th November, says :-

Our last report was dated the 15th inst.; since then, a smaller business has been transacted, in Tea, than for sometime past, and, although some concession has been made in prices, still our quotations are much above London rates, as telegraphed within the last few days. There is, remaining a large quantity of

Tea. bought but not shipped, and, in native hands, no doubt there are large accumulaspecting the nature of the reception to tions of leaf available for shipment; notbe accorded to the Russian admiral and withstanding this, our export figures for Scented Teas, will, at the end of this season, be considerably lower than those of last

Congous.-The bulk of transactions are of the "low common" class, at Tls. 111 a per picul. At Macao, the enquiry has again been for common kinds. Prices are slightly

Scented Teas. -- In Capers, with the exception of 200 boxes "good medium," at mon" description, at from Tis. 12% a 16 per picul, and show, in most instances. somewhat improved values, which, however, Is more apparent in the better teas. There have been no settlements of Orange Pekoe. The following is a summary of the

fortnight's business :---Congou, 6,200 boxes at Tis. 111 a 24 per picul: Scented Caper, 7,000 boxes at Tla. 123 α 22 per picul; Scented Orange Pekoe.

Export of the various descriptions. Teas shipped from Canton Waters (Bongkong. Canton and Macao) to Great Britain to date :- Nov. 17, S. S. Patroclus, Congon The expenses of this entertainment, 79,585 lbs., S. Caper 116,369 lbs., S. O. Pekce 27,021 lbs., Sorts 12,879 lbs., total 235,854 lbs.-making, with previous shipments, a total for the season of 15,211,385 lbs., against 19,733,645 lbs., for season

Silk.—There has been more animation in this market than for some time past, and settlements for the fortnight are said to be were made, about on a parity with former rates, but as the demand increased, and news was received per telegraph of a rise in prices, and "hardening tendency" in the

Long reels have been taken for India, to the extent of 50 piculs of the usual sorts. \* In-Re reels, there has not been much under contract. Prices for re-reels, likethose for Tsatlees, have advanced, but h rolly in the same ratio.

The native computation of stock in Canton is 800 bales Taatlee, 50 bales Kowkong, territory of Japan, and treat her special | 200 bales Cumchuck and Lucklow, and about 200 to 300 bales of other kinds. Under existing circumstances every Where this stock is stored it is impossible to eay, as there is little thread of any des-

Waste -Settlements are 200 bales of No. 2 Gum at \$104 per picul. Export of Silk .- Export to date: -To London, 938 bales; to Continent, 2 660 bales;

boxes; and 3,675 piculs. Of Waste, 5,904 bales; and Pierced Cocoons, 398 bales;

for Europe. QUOTATIONS. Tsatlee......Curio, \$460 ...., 2, \$410 Cumchuck and Lucklow, - \$420 Re-reeled Cumchuck } Rest \$530 and Lucklow Coccons Pierced.... SETTLEMENTS FOR THE FORTNIGHT.

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DRUGS AND SPICES. - Cassia Lignea. Look Poo, and Loting, are quoted at \$8.95 and \$9.20 in boxes. Sales: nil. Stock: 2,100 piculs. Alum, \$1.40 a \$1.50 per

SUNDRIES .- Fire Crackers, 72 a 77 cents per box for Gowqua's No. 1 gold chop. Vermilion, \$30.00 per box. Matting, Fine con tract, White 4/4, 114 cents, 5/4, 134 cents, 6/4, 161 cents per yard; Red Check. 4/4, 131 cents, 5/4, 151 cents, 6/4, 171 cents: Double Extra Imperial, white 4/4. 144 cents, 5/4, 174 cents, 6/4, 204 cents. Red Check, 4/4, 16; cents, 5/4, 18; cents, American schooner Cadet, 442, to New 6/4, 212 cents, per yard. Cargo Ginger in Syrup, (Chyloong) \$8.65. Mandarin 84.90. Young Stem \$5.75. Cargo (Manloong) \$3.55. Young Stem \$5 40, per case of 6 jars. Soy: \$3.95 per picul.

LEAD -There is little or no demand for stand-still for want of orders, and our maintained. We quote L.B. and soft \$58.50 per picul.

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The rate of Freight to New York, per steamer, is £3./14, and per sailing vessel, LOADING AND ON THE BERTH. -At Whampos. -- For London .-- None.

For New York .- None. At Hongkong .- For London -Suma 'th. For New York. - Hannah W. Dudleth British barque Canny Scott, 320. Ree- (cleared for Manila,) Olaf, str., (cleared for

For San Francisco. -- None. DEPARTURES, - From Whampoa. - For London, None. For New York .- None.

From Hongkong.—For London.—Patroclus, alr., Hesperia, atr., Achilles, atres

German barque Margrethe, 351, to Glenorchy, str. For New York.—Corn. Charles Stewart. For San Francisco, -- None,

### Intimations.

THE CHINA REVIEW.

THE widely-expressed regret at the discontinuance of Notes & Queries on ers of this journal to issue a publication to time such items of information, lists,

modified in certain details. THE CHINA REVIEW, or Notes and Queries on the Far East, is issued at intervals of two months, each number containing about 60 octavo pages, occasionally illustrated with lithographs, photographs, woodcuts, &c., should the papers published demand, and the circulation justify, such extra matter.

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attention is also paid to the Review department. Notes and Replies are classified tone. ther as "Notes" (head references being given, when furnished, to previous Notes or Queries), as are also those queries which though asking for information, furnish new or unpublished details concerning the matter in hand. It is desirable to make the Queries proper as brief and as much to the point as possible.

The China, Review for July and August, 1870, is at hand. It says that forty two essays were sent in to compete for the best paper on the advantages of Christianity for the development of a State. All our learned societies should subscribe to this scholarly and enterprising Review. It is a sixty paged, bi-monthly, reportory of what scholars are ascertaining about China. The lecture on Chinese Poetry in this volume is alone worth the price of the Levice. Address China Review, Hougkong .- Northern Christian Advocate (U.S.)

Trubner's Oriental Record contains the loilowing notice of the China Review :- " Thin is the title of a publication, the first number of which has lately reached us from Hongkong, where it has been set on foot as in some respects a continuation of Notes and Queries on China and Japan, the extinction of which useful serial a year or two ago has been much regretted in Europe as well as in China. The present publication, judging by the number now before us, is intended to occupy a position, as regards China and the &c.-T. N. DRISCOLL, 45 and 47, neighbouring countries, somewhat similar to that which has been filled in India by the to H.E. the Governor. Calcutta Review. The great degree of attention that has been bestowed of late years upon the investigation of Chinese literature, antiquities, and social developments, to say Queen's Road Central. nothing of linguistic studies, has led to the accumulation of important stores of information, rendering some such channel of publicity as is now provided extremely desirable : and contributions of much interest may fairly be looked for from the members of the foreign consular services, the Chineso Customs' corps, and the missionary body, among whom a high degree of Chinese scholarship is now assiduously cultivated, and who are severally represented in the first number of the Review by papers highly creditable to their respective authors. In a paper on Dr. Legge's She King, by the Rev. E. J. Eitel, to which the place of honour is deservedly given, an excellent summary is presented of the chronological problems and arguments involved in connexion with this important work. Some translations from Chinese novels and plays are marked by both accuracy and freshness of style; and an account of the career of the Chinese poet-statesman of the eleventh century, Su Tung-p'o, by Mr. E. C. Bowra, is not only historically valuable, but is also distinguished by its literary grace. Beside notices of new books relating to China and the East, which will be a useful feature of the Review, if carried out with punctuality and detail, we are glad to notice that "Notes" and "Queries" are destified to find a place in its pages also. It is to be hoped that this opening for contributions Chinese subjects may evoke a similar degree of literary zeal to that which was displayed during the lifetime of its prodecessor in the field, and that the China Tieview may receive the support necessary to insure its continuance. The publication is intended to appear every two months, and will

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PARCELS.—The public is reminded that, there is no such thing as Parcel Post to Europe, do. Much trouble and disappointment are caused by persistent attempts to send small valuable trifles, through the Post. Fans, Curios Articles of Dress, Fancy Work, and similar presents are continually being refused, the senders having often spent more in Postage than would have paid the freight by steamer. No refund can be made on such parcels of the value of Stamps obliterated before the Nothing in the above Scale to affect private nature of the contents was discovered.

Local Parcel Post. 1. Small Parcels may be sent by Post between any of the Post Offices in China or Japan, as well as to Macao, Pak-Singapore, Penang, and Malacca.

2. The following cannot be transmitted: Matches, Indigo, Dyestuffs, Icc, Meat, is dangerous to the Mails, or likely to become offensive or injurious in transit. 8. Parcels will as a general rule be for-

warded by Frivate Ship, not by Contract Mail Packet. The Post Office reserves the right of selecting the opportunity for transmission, and of delaying delivery in case the number of parcels is such as to retard other correspondence. No responsibility is accepted with regard to any parcel, but the system of Registration will secure the senders against any but a very remote pro-4. The public are cautioned not to con-

General Postal Union or being probable about to do so, it is necessary that the following rules be strictly observed.

1. No Letter or Packet, whether to be Brazil, l'oru, Venezuela, 'i he Argentine registered or u registered, can be received Honduras, Bermuda, Labuau, with all jewels, precious articles, or anything that, Danish, French, Netherlands, Portuguese as a general rule, is liable to Customs 2. This Regulation prohibits the sending

of Patterns of dutiable articles, unless the quantity sent be so small as to make the sample of no value. 3. The limits of weight allowed are as

Books and Papers-to British Offic s, 5 lbs.; to the Continent, &c., 4 lbs. Channel Queen ...... drc., 8 oz.

Indemnity for the Loss of a Registered Letter. The Post Office is not legally responsible for the safe delivery of Registered correspondence, but henceforth it will be pre- Esperance ...... pared to make good the contents of such | correspondence lost while passing through the Post, to the extent of \$10, in certain cases, provided :-

1. That the sender duly observed all the conditions of Registra, on require. 2. That the letter was securely enclosed in a reasonably strong envelope.

3. That application was made to Postmaster General of Hongkong imsuch application unless it also is lost.

4. That the Postmaster General is satisfied that the loss occurred whilst the correspondence was in the custody of the British Postal administration in China, that it was not caused by any fault on the part of the sender, by destruction by fire, or shipwreck, nor by the dishonesty or negligence of any person not in the employment of the Hongkong Post Office.

5. No compousation can be paid for more damage to fragile articles such as portraits, watches, handsomely bound books, &c., which reach their destination, although in broken or deteriorated condition.

#### Money Order Regulations.

1.-Money Orders are exchanged with the United Kingdom, New South Wales, Queensland, South Australia and Port Darwin, the Straits Settlements, Western Australia, and (except at Shanghai) with the Japanese Empire. Hongkong also issues orders on Shanghai, and vice versa. 2.—Small sums may be remitted between

the other Forts by means of Postage Stamps, subject to a charge of one per cent. for cashing them. Thornhill ..... 3.—Many Money Orders are supplied to residents at the smaller Ports in this way. An application for an order\* is filled up,

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Chinkiang .....

El Dorado .....

Java .....

Pechili .....

Yangtsze .....

and is enclosed with a stamped, directed, and unsealed envelope to the Postmaster at the nearest issuing office. The application must be accompanied with the full amount (including commission) in cheque, postage stamps, or other equivalent of cash, and a little margin should be left for variations of exchange. The Postmaster issues the order, sends it on in the envelope, and returns the change, if any, by first opportunity, with a receipt for the letter, if it were to be registered, as it always should be. Care should be taken to send these applications in time, as the Money Order Offices close some hours before the departures of the mails.

4.-No order must exceed £10, or \$50, or include any fraction of a penny, nor will more than two such orders be issued to the same person, in favour of the same payee, by the same mail. Orders will be drawn, at the current rate of the day; and paid at the rate of the day when the advice arrived.

The commission is as follows:-Orders on the United Kingdom. Up to £2..... 18 cents. 13 £5...... 36 ,, £7..... 54 ,, £10 ...... 72 ,,

Local and Intercolonial Orders. Up to \$25 or £5 ..... 25 cents. \$50 or £10....50 ,, 5.—Lists of Money Oracr Offices in the United Kingdom may be consulted at

6.—Names must be given in full (except when there is more than one Christian name) but the name of the Payee need not be given if the order be crossed (as cheques are crossed). It can then be paid only through a Bank, and may afterwards be specially crossed to any Bank.

7.—No order can be paid till the Payee has signed it in the proper place. order oun be transferred to another office on payment of an additional commission. velopes containing Patterns may be wholly In case of loss of an order, necessity for closed if the nature of the contents be first stopping payment, or the like, application exhibited or stated to the Postmaster should be made to the nearest Money Order Office for instructions.

8.—If the order be not presented within six months an additional commission will be charged; if not within twelve months, the money will be forfeited. When the order is once paid no further claim can be entertained.

9.—No order can be paid until the advice relative to it has been received.

dom is in force at Shanghai.

\* Made out on a printed form which is supplied + Local Orders on Shanghai are drawn at 2 per cent, premium in all cases. A fixed dollar rate for drawing on the United King-

# Merchant Vessels in Hongkong Harbour.

Exclusive of late Arrivals and Departures reported to-day.

To facilitate finding the position of any vessel in the Harbour, the Anchorage is divided into eight Sections, commencing at Green Island. Vessels near the Hongkong shore are marked h., near the Kowloong shore k., and there in the body of the Shipping or midway between each shore are marked c., in conjunction with the figures denoting the sections.

5. From P. and O. Co.'s Office to Peddar's Wharf. 6. From Peddar's Wharf to the Naval Yard. 1, From Green Island to the Gas Works. 7. From Naval Yard to the Pier. 8. From Pier to East Point.

2. From Gas Works to the Novelty Iron Works. 3. From Novelty Iron Works to the Barbour Master's Office. 4. From Harbour Master's to the P. and O. Co.'s Office. Remarks. Destination. Consignees or Agents. Flag and Date of Captain. Vessel's Name. Steamers. Tug Plying \*\*\*\*\*\*\* Bombay, drb. 6 h Stopani ...... Brit. at daylight Swatow. &c. 2 h Atkinson ..... Brit. 444 Nov. 20 C. M. S. N. Co. 3rd, daylight Coast Ports Hing Shing ........... 4 b Hawthorne .... Chi. vov. 30 Douglas Lapraik & Co. N'saki & Yokohama 2nd prox. Kwangtung ..... | 5 h Young ..... Brit. 1729 Nov. 28 P. & O. S. N. Co. To-morrow Port Darwin 30 Geo. R. Stevens & Co. ... 5 c Teston......Brit. Cos'tan Dook .................. Ocean ......Brit. 652 Nov. 8 Jeo. R. Stevens & Co. Penedo ......Brit. 6-5 Nov. 27 Melchers & Co. Sands' Slip Bangkok Pernambuco ........... 3 h Hyde ........... Brit. 933 Nov. 19 Yuen Fat Hong 8 Nov. 24 China Traders' Insurance Co. Rajanattianuhar ..... | Hopkins ...... Brit. To-morrow Europe, &c. Most countries to which Hongkong for Soa Gull ...... 5 h Haydon ...... Amor str wards Correspondence having joined the Teheran ........ 5 c Loggin ....... Brit. str. 1671 Nov. 28 P. & O. S. N. Co. 2nd prox. Singapore, dro. Haiphong Swatow Virwaerts ...... 4 c Marussig ..... Aust. at daylight . 2 h Scott ..... Brit. str. Hayre and Hamburg. Sailing Vessels S51 Sept. 21 Carlowitz & Co. 356 Nov. 14 Jardine, Matheson & Co. Agnes Mult ..... t cltowe ..... Amer. bqe. 468 Nov. 15 demssen & Co. kel≺locum ..... Shanghal 25 Wieler & Co. 4 c Krause ...... Anna Bertha ..... 465 Nov. 10 Meyer & Co. 3 kiNeison ...... Annie S. Hall ...... New York Brit, 3m. sc. 31 Vogel & Co. 3 k l'homsen Bangkok Belle of Oregon ..... 8 c Merriman .... Amer. bge. 15 Melchers & Co. New York Cabarfeidh ...... 3 k McKenzie ..... 442 Nov. 15 Order ondon ----281 Nov. 14 Arnhold, Karberg & Co. Am, bgtine 3 cBrown.... Cadet ..... 468 Nov. 30 Wieler & Co. 29 Eduard Schellhass & Co. 609 Nov. 25 Captain 2 k Latheur ..... 304 Nov. 24 Borneo Co., Limited 9 Jardine, Matheson & Co. 15 Vogel & Co. 8 Arnhold, Karberg & Co. 4 k Niesen ...... Ger. 4 P. & O. S. N. Co. c Paulsen ...... Dr. Petermaan ....... 3 k Siegener ...... Ger. 800 Nov. 30 Landstein & Co. Edmond Gressier ...... 1 c Fanquet ...... Fch. Bangkok Labuan 15 Carlowitz & Co. 272 Nov. .4 c Normant ..... Fch. bqe. K'loon Dook 15 Tack Me Hop Singapore ... |Rohlfs ..... 402 Nov. 2: Wieler & Co. Franziska ..... Shanghai 4 cTrumbach ..... Ger. 21 Vogel & Co. Gesine Brons..... Glamorganshire ...... 8 c Angear ...... Brit. Golden Russet ....... 8 c Richardson ... Brit. bqe. 498 Nov. 14 Wieler & Co. Hansa.....Ger. bqe. Hattie N. Bangs ..... 3 k Bangs ...... Am. 3m. sc. 358 Nov. 21 Siemesen & Co. Manila. New York 30 Russell & Co. Kelung Nov. 21 Jardine, Matheson & Co. 10 Wieler & Co. Victoria (V. I.) Margretho ...... 4 c Thiesen ..... Ger. 13 Siemssen & Co. envelope being invariably forwarded with Mary Mildred ...... 7 c Brown ...... Brit. Philippines. Senning Islands Oldbridge ...... 7 h Babington ..... Brit. bqe. 22 Siemssen & Co. 26 Landstein & Co. 275 Nov. Philippines 3 k Koch ..... Brit. 14 Arnhold, Karberg & Co. San Francisco Penobscot ....... 7 c Chipman ...... Amer. bge. South America ....... 3 k Knowles ...... Amer. sh. Spartan .......... 8 h Vincent ...... Amer. sch. 28 Siemasen & Co. Stant ...... 8 c Aschehong ..... Norw. bqe. 581 | Nov. 6 Carlowitz & Co. London & Bamburg 1 Arnhold, Karberg & Co. San Francisco Walkyre ....... 4 c Walters ...... (ler. bqe. 31 Borneo Co., Limited Manila Woodville ....... 3 c Rodd ......... Brit. bqe. 862 Nov. WHAMPOA 350 Nov. 16 Captain Meyer ....... Ger. bqe. Maher ...... Brit. 3m.sc. Lulu ..... CANTON Shanghai 814 Nov. 28 Siemssen & Co.

# Men-of-war in Hongkong Harbour.

799 Nov. 28 Siemssen & Co.

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str.

Walker ...... Brit.

Schultze ..... Brit.

900 Nov. 29 Jardine, Matheson & Co.

899 Nov. 28 Jardine, Matheson & Co.

874 Nov. 30 leo. R. Stevens & Co.

965 Nov. 25 Butterfield & Swire

782 Nov. 26 Siemssen & Co.

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Vessel's Name.	T toward a	Class.	Tons.	Guns.	. Н. Р.	Date of Arrival.	Commander.
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FOOCHOW SHIPPING IN PORT, Nov. 20, 1880.  MERCHANT STRAMERS.  Glenorchy for London  MERCHANT SAILING VESSUES, Alex. Newton British barque  Walter Siegfried German barque	Djemnah  *kldorado  *kldorado  *kurope  Fei Yuen  Glenfinias  H. C. Orsted  Hwai-yuen  **Trankar  *	Jamus British brig British barque British barque British barque Mary Whitridge for New York  MEN-DR-WAR.  Cyclop German gunboat D. Maria de Molina Epanish corvette
BHIPPING IN SHANGHAI HARBOUR.  Nov. 25, 1880.  MARCHART STRAMERS.  Ancous British  China German  Courier Russian  Craiglands British	Kiang-ching Kiang-foo Meifoo Paokong Fleheran Teucer Tunsin Wha-on Wahn	Encounter Freys Lapwing Modeste Monocacy Palos Richmond Themis  H. M. corvette U. S. corvette U. S. frigate French frigate
* Since left port, or atrived at Hongkong.	* 1	Vigilant H. M. Con Yessel

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